HOUSE RESOLUTION 206

By Halford

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate John Winsler on the celebration of his 100th birthday.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this legislative body pay tribute to those citizens who are celebrating special occasions in their estimable lives; and

WHEREAS, John Winsler celebrated his 100th birthday on February 5, 2018, a milestone that was commemorated as yet another precious souvenir of life's rich pageant; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Winsler is a highly respected member of the Humboldt community; and WHEREAS, John Winsler voluntarily served his country during World War II in the artillery division of the United States Marine Corps, retiring at the rank of Sergeant; he is perhaps the oldest Battle of Guadalcanal survivor in the State; and

WHEREAS, after returning home, John Winsler was the owner of a hardware store for forty years in the Memphis area, where he raised his family; and

WHEREAS, as John Winsler enters his eleventh decade, he is still an active and productive member of society, participating in various civic and community events, as his health permits; and

WHEREAS, we wish to grasp this golden opportunity to specially recognize one of Tennessee's most outstanding citizens on this very special occasion; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby honor and congratulate John Winsler on the celebration of his 100th birthday and extend to him our best wishes for much continued success and happiness.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.